

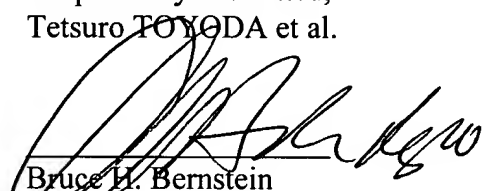
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REMARKS

The Examiner is respectfully requested to enter the foregoing amendment prior to examination of the above-identified patent application. In this regard, the present amendment is directed to adding a Sequence Listing and to amending the specification to include sequence identifiers.

Should there be any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below listed telephone number.

Respectfully submitted,
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MISLIAALAVDARVIGMENAMPWNPADLAFKRNTLD (SEQ ID NO. 3)

000002 xxxxxxxx 36

VKMISLIAALAVDRVIGMENAMPWNLPAFKAERNTL (SEQ ID NO. 4)

000003 xxxxxxxx 36

AMISLIAALAVDRVIGMENAMPWNLPAWFKRNTLDV (SEQ ID NO. 5)

000004 xxxxxxxx 37

SEAMISLIAALAVDRVIGMENAMPWNLPAWLAWFKRNTLD (SEQ ID NO. 6)

Example 2

The property information in the columns of alignment (X) in Table 9 is integrated with alignment (Y) in Table 10 and marked.

Table 9

Alignment information (X)

Column Property Information

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Sequence A

--MISLIAALAVD-VIMGRHTWESIVYEQFLPKAQHDLYIA- (SEQ ID NO. 1)

Sequence B

RSMLSIVAVCQNDAVIMGKKTWFSIVY----AKAQHEKFVSPA (SEQ ID NO. 2)

Table 10

Alignment information (Y)

Sequence B

-RSMLSIVAVCQN---DAVIMGKKTWFSIVYAKAQHEKFVSPA (SEQ ID NO. 2)

Sequence C

A-SVVSLAAVCRNNKPEAVLMMKKSWFSLLYAKAQHEKFVSPV (SEQ ID NO. 7)